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PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER 37

C.F.R. §1.137(b)

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be revived pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b).

The entire delay in filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) was unintentional.

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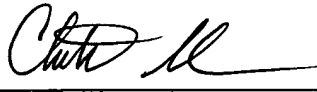
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In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), a reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts is appended to this reply, which includes a signed declaration, the basic filing fee in the amount of \$790 as a large entity, and the late oath or declaration surcharge of \$130. The petition fee for the revival of an unintentionally abandoned application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) in the amount of \$1500.00 as a large entity is also appended. Thus, a check is enclosed in the total amount of \$2420. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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Declaration for Patent Application☐ Supplemental (37 C.F.R. §1.67)

As a named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed in the signatory page(s) commencing at page 2 hereof) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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the specification of which (check one)

☐ is attached hereto.☒ was filed on July 26, 2004 as United States Application Number 10/710,630.☐ was filed on [PCT Filing Date] as PCT International Application No. [PCT Appl'n No.] (and assigned, United States Application No. [ ]).☐ and was amended on [ ] (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby expressly authorize the filing of an International Patent Application under the Patent Cooperation Treaty which corresponds to and claims the priority of the above-identified application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119 or 165 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

| <u>Prior Foreign Application(s)</u> |                 |                              | Priority<br>Not<br>Claimed | Certified<br>Copy Filed? |                          |
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